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## VERIFICATION OF SUCCESSIVE EXPERIENCE

FOR A NEBRASKA CERTIFICATE

This form is used to verify experience for initial issuance, to renew a certificate, establish recency, and waive the basic skills competency test requirement. **A completed application form must also be submitted.** 

Please note the difference in the definition of 'experience':

- Experience required to renew a certificate, establish recency, or for initial issuance is defined as employment, half-time or more, for two consecutive years in the same approved or accredited school system. This experience must have been acquired within the past five years while holding a regular valid certificate issued by that state.
- Experience required to waive the basic skills competency test is defined as employment, half-time or more, for three consecutive years in an approved or accredited school while holding a valid certificate issued by that state. The certificate must have been issued on the basis of completion of an approved teacher education program.

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Position/Assignment/Grade	School Name			School Year	
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**Signature of Superintendent or Authorized Board Member	er 		Date		
Official Title City		State	Zip Code		

<sup>\*</sup>The requirement that a certificate applicant provide his/her social security number is contained in *Neb. Rev. Stat.* 79-810. The uses that will be made of this number are <u>criminal background checks prior to issuance of a certificate and for purposes of data compilation and statistics concerning employment of graduates of state approved teacher education programs and employment of certificate holders.</u>